



MONTHLY BIRD CENSUS 12 DEC 2004

CENSUS NUMBER TIME 08:15 – 11:15 CLOUD COVER 80% PRECIP LIGHT NONE

OPEN WATER ALL FOG NONE WIND 5-10 MPH TEMP 34 - 42 SNOW COVER NONE

PARTICIPANTS: Barbara Petersen, Cheryl White, Charlie Wright, Jeff Antonelis-Lapp and Ted Ripley (ponds) Kathy Andrich, Dick Koerker, Steve Johnson and Roger Orness (meadows)

SPECIES

1.	Pied-billed Grebe 19		19. Common Merganser 17		37. Bewick's Wren 2
2.	Double-crested Cormorant	9	20. Ruddy Duck 14		38. Marsh Wren 8
3.	Great Blue Heron 6		21. Northern Harrier 1	*4	39. Ruby-crowned Kinglet 5
4.	Cackling Goose 1	*1	22. Cooper's Hawk 3	*5	40. American Robin 64
5.	Canada Goose 31	*2	23. Red-tailed Hawk 3	*6	41. European Starling 98
6.	Mallard 66		24. American Kestrel 1	*7	42. Orange-crowned Warbler 1 *9
7.	Green-winged Teal 120		25. Peregrine Falcon 1	*8	43. Yellow rumped Warbler 1 *10
8.	Baikal Teal 1	*3	26. Virginia Rail 4 H		44. Spotted Towhee 6
9.	Northern Pintail 222		27. American Coot 110		45. Fox Sparrow 2
10.	Northern Shoveler 18		28. Mew Gull 50		46. Song Sparrow 32
11.	Gadwall 27		29. Ring-billed Gull 3		47. Lincoln's Sparrow 1
12.	Eurasian Wigeon 3 M		30. Herring Gull 1		48. Golden-crowned Sparrow 1
13.	American Wigeon 106		31. Glaucous-winged Gull 16		49. Dark-eyed Junco 4
14.	Ring-necked Duck 261		32. Rock Pigeon 2		50. Red winged Blackbird 4
15.	Greater Scaup 1		33. Belted Kingfisher 4		51. Western Meadowlark 1 H
16.	Lesser Scaup 3		34. Northern Flicker 4		52. House Finch 9
17.	Bufflehead 17		35. American Crow 37		53. Pine Siskin 1
18.	Hooded Merganser 25		36. Black-capped Chickadee 1		54. American Goldfinch 7

NOTES

- *1 A single goose with a mix of dabblers was seen in the main pond at the far N. end of constructed wetlands.
- *2 One flock of 16 geese flying over the W. meadow to the SE. A second flock flew over the pond team.
- *3 This very rare teal was seen by Charlie Wright, Jeff Antonelis-Lapp and Ted Ripley and later filmed by Charlie.
- *4 One adult female hunting near the constructed wetlands, as seen from warbler corner. (NE. forest, SE. corner)
- *5 One adult female on lagoon island snags, adult male in tree by hotel and one juvenile in trees along 64th Ave.
- *6 Both NW. resident adults seen in NW. quadrant, various perches. One juvenile flying over NW. forest.
- *7 One male hunting from various W. meadow sprinkler heads.
- *8 One female size adult perched on a mid island snag and later seen flying over the NE. quadrant to the NE.
- *9 The warbler was seen along the south edge of the constructed wetlands.
- *10 Myrtles race.

MORE NOTES

One owl observed in owl box SW. of the site and evidence of owls noted, but not seen at Anderson Park pines.